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This is a request for filing under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) of a:

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application of the following pending prior application:

Serial No.

09/051,006

Filed:

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- Enclosed is a copy of the prior application as originally filed (along with a copy of the <u>original Declaration</u>). No amendments identified in the declaration for this prior application introduced new matter. Please use this copy as the application and declaration for the present case.
- 2. The filing fee is calculated below:

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Basic Fee			\$740.00
Total Claims	7 - 20 =	0 x \$18	\$0.00
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5. [X] Amend the specification as follows. On page 1, after the title, add the following paragraph (check one and fill in):

This is a [] continuation, [X] division, of application Serial No. 09/051,006, filed March 30, 1998. This prior application is hereby incorporated herein by reference, in its entirety.

- 6. [X] The prior application is assigned to: Mogam Biotechnology Research Institute
- 7. [X] Preliminary Amendment, Substitute Sequence Listing, and Statement Pursuant to §1.821 also is enclosed.
- 8. [X] Paper copy of Substitute Sequence Listing
- 9. [X] Drawings are filed herewith
- 10. [X] Applicant claims small entity status
- 11. [X] Priority is claimed from

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Respectfully submitted,

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